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REFERENCE:



SA-2 SAM SITE UNDER CONSTRUCTION
PUNTA BALLEMATOS, CUBA
2304N 8229W

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

MODIFICATION OF PUNTA BALLEMATOS SA-3 SITE TO AN
SA-2 CONFIGURATION.

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2. REMARKS:

SINCE WHEN THIS INSTALLATION WAS FIRST
IDENTIFIED, IT HAS CONSISTED OF 4 REVERTED LAUNCH
POSITIONS, A REVERTED GUIDANCE AREA, AND A REVERTED
POSSIBLE MISSILE-HOLD POSITION, ALL UNOCCUPIED AND
IN MID-STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. NO MISSILE-RELATED
EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN OBSERVED.

3. LOCATION:

0.7 NM SOUTH OF PUNTA BALLEMATOS MARINA AT
23-04-40N 082-29-45W (UTM 17QLR 467527).

4. FIRST IDENTIFICATION:



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5. NEGATION DATE:

6. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE:

THREE GLASS LAMP MISSIONS.

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7. MISSION READOUT:



REPORTS THE CONFIGURATION

OF THE SITE HAS CHANGED FROM SA-3 TO SA-2. THE CHANGES INCLUDE A

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RADICAL MODIFICATION TO THE 4 PREVIOUSLY EXISTING REVETMENTS, FROM DRIVE-IN TO DRIVE-THROUGH, AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF 2 NEW DRIVE-THROUGH REVETMENTS. THE OUTER ROAD AND STAR-PATTERNED INNER ROAD ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION. THE FORMER MISSILE-HOLD POSITIONS HAVE BEEN FILLED IN AND 2 DRIVE-THROUGH MISSILE-HOLD REVETMENTS ARE NOW BEING CONSTRUCTED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE SITE. AN ON-SITE SUPPORT AREA OF 4 PROBABLE BARRACKS BUILDINGS IS LOCATED IMMEDIATELY NORTHWEST OF THE SITE.

FRAME REFERENCES:



MAP REFERENCE:

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